

## BOILER EXPLODED.

Terrible Calamity in Penberthy  
Injector Co.'s Large Plant  
at Detroit, Mich.

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ous Hospitals Suffering From  
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Detroit, Nov. 27.—Twenty-seven men are dead, 5 of them unidentified and so terribly burned and blackened that identification is almost impossible, and 24 other men are lying in the various city hospitals suffering from terrible cuts and burns and other injuries, all results of the explosion of one of the boilers in the Penberthy Injector Co.'s large plant at the corner of Abbott street and Brooklyn avenue Tuesday.

Eighteen men and boys have not as yet been located either in their homes or at the hospitals. The five unidentified bodies account for five of them, and the officers of the company say they feel confident that the major part of the remaining 8 were by Tuesday night at their homes.

A great force of men is searching the ruins by electric light and the work will not be stopped until every foot of the debris has been examined.

Many Men Were at Work.

It is impossible to tell exactly how many men were at work in the various departments of the rear building when the explosion occurred, but the officers insist that the number was not over 85. There were four boilers in the plant, two horizontal ones, which furnished steam for the engine, and two vertical boilers, which are used solely to test injectors. It was the horizontal that was in use Tuesday morning and that let go and caused the awful loss of life. The crash came without the slightest warning. Those in the front building said it seemed like the concussion of an immense cannon. The floor and roof of the rear building bulged upward and then crashed down with their heavy loads of machinery and foundry apparatus. Walls, roofs, and all dropped into a shapeless mass of debris. Windows for a block around were broken by the concussion. A dense cloud of dust arose, and was succeeded by denser clouds of smoke and steam. Agonized cries began to come from the heap of tangled wood, metal and bricks. Those who were only partly buried frantically dug themselves out, and then as energetically turned to digging for their comrades, who were buried deeper. Flames broke out almost immediately and the horror of fire was added to the suffering of the imprisoned ones.

Fire Added to the Horror

A fire alarm was turned in and quickly responded to. Calls were sent out for all the ambulances in the city, and they hurried to the scene. Pending their arrival, neighboring houses were turned into temporary hospitals, and those physicians who were in the vicinity eased the suffering ones as much as they were able.

In a comparatively short time all the laborers who could work to any advantage were feverishly throwing and pulling the debris out into Brooklyn avenue, where it was loaded into wagons and carried off.

The floor and roof had fallen at an angle and formed a sort of huge cover, under which the fire burned fiercely. Not until the firemen had crept through this did the stream of water begin to have an appreciable effect on the flames. The sufferings of those who were buried beneath were later mutely testified to by their charred and blackened bodies.

Shortly after midnight two of the men employed by the Penberthy Injector Co., who were reported missing, were accounted for. They were not injured beyond a few slight bruises.

The 27th body was taken from the ruins of the wrecked Penberthy Injector Co.'s plant at 1:30 Wednesday morning. The body was unidentified.

Clem Studebaker's Condition.

South Bend, Ind., Nov. 27.—Clement Studebaker rested comfortably Monday night, but in spite of this his condition Tuesday has been extremely critical. It is evident that he is much weaker. Mr. Studebaker surprised his physicians Tuesday evening by recovering consciousness and recognizing the members of his family. This period, however, lasted only eight minutes and the end is in sight.

The Miners' Strike Ratified.

Huntington, W. Va., Nov. 27.—At a meeting of the United Mine Workers of Virginia and West Virginia here Tuesday, the strike now on in the Virginia field at Norton was ratified. No operators have yet arrived for joint conference Wednesday, and it is believed they will ignore the meeting entirely. This may bring on a general strike in the two Virginias.

Yale's Football Receipts.

New Haven, Ct., Nov. 27.—Yale's receipts for the football season, it is announced, are likely to prove the largest ever taken in. From the games with Harvard and Princeton about \$50,000 was realized. Receipts from the minor games will bring the total up to about \$70,000.

## THE PETITION IN MA. DAMUS.

An Effort to Compel the State Board  
of Equalization to Re-Assess Rail-  
road Property in Ohio.

Columbus, O., Nov. 27.—The supreme court allowed the motion of Mayor Tom L. Johnson, of Cleveland, for leave to file a petition in mandamus against the state board of equalization of railways, compelling it to re-assess the railroad property of the state at a valuation based upon the market value of its securities. The petition was filed immediately following the court's consent.

The petition, in effect, asks the court to construe the statute to mean that the board of railway equalization has the power to increase the valuation of railways for the purpose of taxation over and above the grand total as fixed by the county auditors. Attorney General Sheets will file a demurrer to Mayor Johnson's petition, and this will bring the case to a hearing on its merits. The case will be heard, or submitted, on briefs, or disposed of before the court takes the holiday recess.

Johnson's contention is that railways of Ohio, which are on the duplicate for \$117,000,000 in round numbers, are only appraised at about 23 per cent of their actual value, while real estate in Ohio is appraised at about 60 per cent of its true value. Johnson wants railroad valuations increased so as to bring them up to a 60 per cent basis. This would place them on the duplicate for about \$355,000,000, instead of \$117,000,000.

## REPUBLICAN CAUCUS.

Members of the House Will Meet Sat-  
urday Afternoon For the Purpose  
of Nominating Officers.

Washington, Nov. 27.—The republican members of the house of representatives will meet in caucus at 1 o'clock Saturday for the purpose of nominating house officers. There is no contest and Speaker Henderson and the other elective officers will be re-elected. It is expected that there will be quite a sharp contest over re-adopting the Reed rules. All the afternoon and evening if necessary will be given to discussing the subject.

The democratic caucus will be held at 11 o'clock Saturday to nominate minority candidates and also to name the few employees conceded to the minority in the house.

## WRECKED THE SAFE.

Bank of Julius Conitz at Wanatah,  
Ind., Broken in By Robbers—  
There is No Clew.

Valparaiso, Ind., Nov. 27.—The bank of Julius Conitz at Wanatah was broken into by robbers at an early hour Tuesday morning. The burglars effected an entrance to the vault and wrecked the big safe with explosives. An expert from Chicago arrived Tuesday evening and is at work attempting to open the safe, the doors of which are jammed in. Until he finishes this work, in four or five hours, it can not be told whether or not the robbers secured the \$10,000 in the safe. There is no clew to the burglars.

## OHIO'S INSANE.

A Plan Has Been Devised to Care for  
1,400 of Them in the Different  
County Infirmaries.

Columbus, O., Nov. 27.—The conference of the superintendents of the state hospitals with the state board of charities and the governor Tuesday failed to reach an agreement on the proposition to abandon the State Hospital for Epileptics at Gallipolis and substitute the colony system. A plan was devised, however, providing for the care of 1,400 insane now confined in the county infirmaries who become charges upon the state next July under a law enacted by the last legislature.

## GIGANTIC POWER PLANT.

The One at the St. Louis Exposition  
Will Be One of the Largest in  
the World—Oil as Fuel.

St. Louis, Nov. 27.—The power plant to be installed at the Louisiana Purchase exposition will be one of the largest in the world. It will have a capacity of about 21,000. Plans are under consideration for using oil from Texas instead of coal for fuel. This will eliminate the dust which is inseparable from the handling of coal, and will do away entirely with smoke.

## Ended His Existence.

Anderson, Ind., Nov. 27.—Half dressed, with face burned red with acid, Allison I. Hurst, a well known former business man, was found dead on the floor in a room at the Madison hotel Tuesday afternoon. Reverses are the alleged cause of the suicide.

## Irish Patriot Dead.

Chicago, Nov. 27.—Martin Hogan, the Irish patriot, died Tuesday, aged 33 years. Hogan, together with others interested in the Fenian movement, was convicted of treason in 1866 and transported to the English penal colony in Australia.

## Left the Poorhouse.

Vanceburg, Ky., Nov. 27.—"Uncle George" Evans, a schoolmate of Gen. U. S. Grant, and once wealthy, in the Lewis county poorhouse at the age of 32 years, left Wednesday to live with a son in Covington.

## Verdict of One Cent.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 27.—The jury in the libel suit of Charles Dodd against the Lexington Leader for \$10,000 damages, on trial for a week, gave a verdict of one cent for the plaintiff.

## GEN. ALBAN'S MEN.

Have Crossed the Barbacoa Bridge  
and Are Continuing Their  
March to Colon.

## LIBERAL FORCES ARE RETREATING

It Is Believed That a Decisive Engage-  
ment Will Probably Be Fought  
Near the City.

Trains That Left Colon Tuesday After-  
noon For Panama With the Ma-  
rines From Battleship Iowa  
Arrived Safely.

Colon, Colombia, Nov. 27.—The overdue passenger train with a marine guard on board has arrived here at 4:40 p. m. The train brings news to the effect that Gen. Alban, with about 500 government troops, has crossed Barbacoa bridge, and is continuing his march to Colon. He is now at Tavernilla, where he is resting. The liberal forces continue to retreat before him. They explain their retreat by saying they have no ammunition. All of the fighting Tuesday occurred at Barbacoa bridge. Passengers by the delayed train assert that full 100 conservatives were killed and wounded during the fighting there, and that the liberal losses were insignificant. The liberals are now approaching Gatun station, about five miles from Colon, and it is believed a decisive engagement will probably be fought Tuesday night or Wednesday morning at Monkey Hill cemetery, distant one mile from the limits of Colon.

Colon, Nov. 27.—The trains which left here Tuesday afternoon for Panama with the Iowa marines and the passengers from the steamer Orizaba were delayed in transit, but reached Panama safely.

Commander McCrea's Cablegram.

Reports current here Tuesday afternoon that Gen. Binzon had been captured. Portobello have been found, upon investigation, to be unreliable and not authentic.

Washington, Nov. 27.—A cablegram was received at the navy department just at the close of business Tuesday afternoon from Commander McCrea, of the Machias, at Colon, announcing that the Colombian government gunboat Gen. Pinzon, which left Colon for the east Monday, had returned.

A brief dispatch came to the navy department Tuesday evening from Capt. Perry, of the Iowa, now at Panama. The captain simply stated that he was in communication with Commander Delano, of the gunboat Marietta, stationed on the Colon side of the isthmus, which fact leads the authorities to believe that telegraph connection between the two places continues uninterrupted.

## CHARLESTON EXPOSITION.

The President Will Press the Button  
Setting the Machinery in Motion  
Next Monday Afternoon.

Washington, Nov. 27.—Arrangements have been made for the opening of the South Carolina Interstate and West Indian exposition by the president next Monday. At the conclusion of the address of Senator Depew in Charleston, messages of greeting and felicitation will pass between the president and the managers of the exposition, and at 2:30 o'clock the president will press the button which will set the machinery of the exposition in motion. The South Carolina delegation in congress and several prominent government officials will be present at the ceremony in the white house.

## THE RANSOM QUESTION.

The Brigands Will Await the Disap-  
pearance of Snow Before Re-  
suming the Negotiations.

Sofia, Bulgaria, Nov. 27.—The brigands are determined to wait until the disappearance of the snow permits them freedom of movement before resuming negotiations for the release of Miss Ellen M. Stone, the American missionary, and Mme. Tsiska, her companion. The impression which prevails among the best informed people here is that Mr. Dickinson's departure for Constantinople increases the difficulty of gaining the confidence of the brigands and expediting a settlement of the ransom question.

## A Young Highwayman.

Muncie, Ind., Nov. 27.—For several nights Charles Canady, aged 12, has been holding up pedestrians with a Flabert rifle. Canady would command "Hands up!" raising his rifle, and then tell the frightened victim to move Tuesday night he shot and seriously wounded Kowlen Summers, aged 15. Canady claims the shooting was accidental.

## Alleged Embezzler Arrested.

New York, Nov. 27.—John T. Hayden, formerly treasurer of the Swift Beef Co., who, it is alleged, absconded in July last with several thousand dollars belonging to his employers, was arrested at Wilmington, Del., according to Capt. Titus, of the New York detective bureau.

## Old War Monitor Condemned.

Washington, Nov. 27.—Three more of the old war monitors which have been lying at League Island navy yard for years past have been condemned and are to be sold at public auction. They are the Catskill, the Manhattan and Mahopack.

## JOE LARK ACQUITTED.

He Was Charged With the Murder of  
Miss Gazette Wild in Pierce,  
City, Mo., Recently.

Springfield, Mo., Nov. 27.—Joe Lark, colored, charged with the murder of Miss Gazette Wild in Pierce City some months ago, was acquitted Tuesday in the circuit court at Mt. Vernon. Miss Wild, a respectable young white woman, was assaulted and murdered, and her body thrown under a railroad bridge. When her body was found the excitement became so intense that all Negroes were forced to flee for their lives. One Negro was shot down in the streets, another was lynched, and a third was fatally wounded as he fled from his house, to which the lynchers had applied the torch. All of them were innocent. Lark was barely spirited away to Springfield in time to save his life. The identity of the murderer was never learned.

## AMERICAN LOCOMOTIVES.

In Their Preliminary Trials in France  
Maintained Speed of 71.45-100  
Miles An Hour.

Washington, Nov. 27.—American locomotives in their preliminary trials between Miramas and Arles, France, are stated to have maintained a speed of 71 and 45-100 miles an hour, according to a recent report received at the state department from Consul General Skinner, at Marseilles, under date of November 6. Mr. Skinner reports that the speed at certain moments was high as 77.67 and 80.77 miles an hour over an especially good portion of the track. The trials are regarded as very satisfactory.

## LABOR ORGANIZATIONS.

They Will Ask Congress to Have Some  
of the Warships Constructed at  
Government Navy Yards.

Washington, Nov. 27.—There is a systematic and well organized movement among the labor organizations of the country looking to legislation at the coming session of congress for the construction at government navy yards of some of the warships authorized by congress. The secretary of the navy is being overwhelmed with petitions and resolutions of labor unions along this line.

## Turned Up Alive and Well.

Marion, O., Nov. 27.—W. C. Williams, the recluse who was supposed to have been burned in a log cabin which was consumed by fire Saturday night, turned up at the scene of his humble home while the bones which were found beneath his burned bed were being examined by anatomists. Williams refused to give any explanation of his whereabouts since the fire rendered him homeless.

## Mrs. Martha J. Peck Dead.

Toledo, O., Nov. 27.—Mrs. Martha J. Peck, mother of George L. Peck, of Pittsburgh, general manager of the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburgh, died Tuesday. She was 75 years of age.

## Douglas Waite's Will.

Toledo, O., Nov. 27.—The will of Douglas Waite, a brother of the late Chief Justice M. R. Waite, was filed Tuesday. He leaves his library, which was one of the most extensive in Ohio, to the Y. M. C. A.

## THE MARKETS.

### Flour and Grain.

Cincinnati, Nov. 26.—Flour—Winter patent, \$3.45@3.80; fancy, \$3.15@3.30; family, \$2.55@2.80; extra, \$2.30@2.40; low grade, \$2.10@2.25; spring patent, \$3.80@4.05; fancy, \$3.15@3.40; family, \$2.90@3.10; Northwestern rye, \$3@3.15. Wheat—No. 2 red nominal at 77¢. Oats—No. 2 mixed nominal at 46¢ on track. Corn—Sales: Yellow ear, new, track, 68¢. Chicago, Nov. 26.—Wheat—December, 72¢@72½¢; May, 75¢@75½¢. Corn—December, 62¢@62½¢; May, 64¢@64½¢. Oats—December, 42¢; May, 42½¢@43¢.

### Live Stock.

Cincinnati, Nov. 26.—Cattle—Ship-pers, \$4.50@5.50; butcher steers, good to choice, \$4.10@4.75; heifers, good to choice, \$3.35@3.75; extra, \$3.85@4.10; cows, good to choice, \$3.10@3.65; calves—Extra, \$6.75; fair to good, \$4.50@5.50. Hogs—Selected heavy shippers, \$5.90@5.95; good to choice packers and butchers, \$5.50@5.70; mixed packers, \$5.40@5.60; light shippers, \$5.15@5.35; pigs, 110 lbs and less, \$4@5.10. Sheep—Extra, \$2.90@3; good to choice, \$2.25@2.85. Lambs—Extra, \$4.25@4.35; good to choice, \$3.50@4.15. Indianapolis, Nov. 26.—Cattle—Good to prime export steers, \$5.75@6.40; fair to medium export steers, \$5.25@5.75; good to prime butcher steers, \$4.75@5.25; good to choice feeding, \$3.75@4.25; fair to good feeders, \$3.75@4.25; light stockers, \$2@3.50; fair to good cows, \$2.75@3.75. Hogs—Choice medium to heavy, \$5.80@5.95; mixed heavy packing, \$5.55@5.80; choice light weights, \$5.45@5.85; pigs, \$4@5.25. Sheep—Choice, \$2.50@3.25. Lambs—Choice, \$4@4.60.

East Buffalo, Nov. 26.—Cattle—Fair to good export, \$5.65@6; light butchers to good shippers, \$4@5.50; heifers, \$2.65@5.10; butchers' cows, \$1.70@4.30; bulls steady at \$2.35@3.90; stockers and feeders stronger for good grades at \$2.50@4.15. Veals—Common thin to best, \$3.50@7. Hogs—Best heavy, \$5.85@5.90; mixed and mediums, \$5.75@5.80; Yorkers, \$5.85@5.65; light Yorkers, \$5.40@5.50; pigs, \$4.25@5.35. Sheep and Lambs—Top mixed, \$3.15@3.40; culls to fair, \$1.25@3; handy wethers and yearlings, \$3.50@3.70; culls to good, \$3.50@4.45; Canada lambs, \$4.55@4.60.

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Julia Frediana, Administratrix, Plaintiff,  
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Dennis Frediana et al, De-  
fendants.

By an order of reference made by the Mason Circuit Court at its November, 1901, term all creditors of the estate of Julia Frediana, deceased, are hereby notified to appear before me at my office, No. 212 Court street, in the city of Maysville, Ky., on or before the 30th day of December, 1901, and file present and prove their claims against the estate of said Frediana.

Given under my hand this 23d day of November, 1901.

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